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ENP02FF114128 2/G11VCJ/R352-68 RPT 2/G11VCJ/R352-68 SUMMARY OF VIETNAMESE COMMUNIST ACTIVITY IN THE DRV, MILITARY REGION TRI-THIEN-HUE AND WAOS WHICH HAS BECOME AVAILABLE DURING THE PERIOD 13 1000Z THRU 14 0959Z DECEMBER 1968.

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C. SINFILTRATION: A 12 DECEMBER MESSAGE ADDRESSED TO A COMPANY 8 (SUBORDINATION UNKNOWN) DISCLOSED THAT TWO 37MM GUNS BELONGING TO COMPANY 4 AT NAM TA LE (17-13N 106-18E, XE 23 04) WERE TO BE REPOSITIONED. THE COMMUNIQUE ALSO REVEALED THAT SIX 12.7MM GUNS WERE TO BE DEPLOYED TO THE AREA "BEHIND" TALE. ANOTHER COMMUNIQUE OF 12 DECEMBER FROM BINH TRAM 32 (UNLOCATED) DIRECTED THE 22ND AAA BATTALION TO SEND PER- SONNEL TO THE 591ST REG. 3, 5 59 :57:6 5#3 7:3 9 5#3 23MM ARTILLERY PIECE, ALTHOUGH THE LOCATION OF THE 591ST REG- IMENT WAS NOT DISCLOSED. HIGHLIGHTING AIR ACTIVITY WERE SEVERAL REPORTS CONCERNING SHOOTDOWNS OF ALLIED AIRCRAFT: HOWEVER, THE TOTAL NUMBER OF AIRCRAFT ACTUALLY SHOT DOWN COULD NOT BE DETERMINED. THE REPORTS ON ALLIED AIR ACTIVITY WERE AS FOLLOWS: A. NUMBER AND TYPE OF AIRCRAFT B. TIME AND DATE C. LOCATION D. COMMENTS A. ONE B-57 B. NIGHT OF 11 DECEMBER C. UNKNOWN D. B-57 SHOT DOWN BY COMPANY 103, 22ND AAA BATTALION. 18TH AAA BATTALION ALSO REPORTED SHOOT-DOWN OF A B-57. ORIGINATOR OF MESSAGE SUGGESTS THE TWO REPORTED SHOOTDOWNS MAY BE FOR THE SAME PLANE. A. ONE UNKNOWN TYPE AIRCRAFT B. UNKNOWN (MESSAGE DATED 13 DECEMBER 0736Z B. UNKNOWN (MESSAGE DATED 13 DECEMBER 0736Z C. ONE KILOMETER FROM NA KA SIN, PROBABLE LOCATION XD 06 78 D. AIRCRAFT REPORTEDLY WENT DOWN AT ABOVE LOCATION AND BURNED COMPLETELY, PILOT BEING KILLED BY THE EXPLODING BOMBS. NOTHING ABLE TO BE SALVAGED. REPORT PROBABLY ORIGINATED BY 22ND AAA BATTALION. A. ONE B-57 B. UNKNOWN (MESSAGE DATED 13 DECEMBER 0705Z) D. UNKNOWN D. UNIDENTIFIED BATTALION REPORTED SHOOTING DOWN B-57 A. ONE HELICOPTER, ONE UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT, ONE OV-1 B. PROBABLE 12 DECEMBER C. UNKNOWN D. AMERICAN PILOT REPORTED RESCUED BY HELICOPTER. POSITION REPORTED RECONNOITERED BY AN OV-1. A. POSSIBLY TWO OV-1'S AND SEVEN F-4'S B. 1200G TO 1415G, POSSIBLY 12 DECEMBER C. ALONG ROUTE 912 (LUM BUM 17003N 105-57E, XD 02 88: KOC MAC 17-02N 105-59E, XD 06 87: KHA ZOC 17-07N 106-03E, XD 12 93: KOK NAK 17-02N 105-59E, XD 08 88) D. RECONNOITERING AND BOMBING ACTIVITIES IN THIS AREA BY F-4'S A. 2 B-26K'S AND ONE OV-1 B. 50225 TO 0245G, 13 DECEMBER C. COC MAK, KATOC (KILOMETER 15) D. B-26K'S RECONNOITERED FROM COC MAC TO UNLOCATED KILOMETER 62 AND UP TO KILOMETER 15 ATSKHA TOC A. SIX F-4'S, FOURTEEN F-100'S, FOUR F-105'S, AND ONE OV-1 B. 0410 TO 0945G, 13 DECEMBER C. UNKNOWN D. TWO SBRTIES OF SIX F-4'S DROPPED BOMBS AT UNLOCATED FORD. F-100'S RECONNOITERED IN THE SAME AREA AT WHICH THE F-105'S DROPPED BOMBS ON AN UNSPECIFIED LOCATION. (2/G11VCJ/T11057-68 CHANGE ONE, T11060-68, T11061-68, T11062-68, T11063-68, T11064-68, AND T11068-68) XXHH 900 NNNH

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